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1. WHEN REF A CAME BEFORE COMMITTEE AT MAY 6 REGULAR MEETING, GERMAN DEL HAD NOT YET RECEIVED QUESTIONS TO PUT, AND CANADA ALSO RESERVED FOR LACK OF INSTRUCTIONS. UKDEL PUT ON THE RECORD QUESTIONS SIMILAR TO THOSE IN REF B, EDITED TO CLOAK MORE DETAILED SAFEGUARDS STATEMENT PROVIDED THEM.
2. USDEL RECORDED ANSWERS ALREADY GIVEN UK (REF B).
3. FRENCH HAD NO OBJECTIONS, BUT EXPERT GAMET MADE MODERATE STATEMENT DIRECTED AT CAPACITY OF THIS COMPUTER. HE SAID THEY HAD REVIEWED US COMMENTS MADE AT TIME WHEN MOST COMPUTERS WERE STILL UNDER EMBARGO, AND WERE STRUCK BY EVOLUTION OF OUR POSITION IN LAST TEN YEARS. COMPARISON OF U-9600 COMPUTER WITH NOTE 4 CUT-OFFS REVEALED FOLLOWING DIVERGENCES:

I/O BUS RATE -- 108 VS. 40

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PDR -- 5 TIMES LARGER

MEMORY -- CUTOFFS MULTIPLIED BY 3
TOTAL CONNECTED NET CAPACITY -- CUTOFFS
MULTIPLIED BY 15.
EFFECTIVE BIT TRANSFER RATE -- 75,600 BPS., COM-
PARED TO 9,600 BPS.

GAMET SAID SUCH CAPACITIES WOULD MAKE A "NOT NEGLI-
GIBLE CONTRIBUTION" TO THE COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY OF THE
BLOC. IT WOULD BE POSSIBLE TO EXTRACT SIGNIFICANT
AMOUNT OF TECHNOLOGY FROM BROCHURES, TECHNICAL DATA
SHEETS, MAINTENANCE MANUALS, AND THE LIKE. HE SAID HIS
DELEGATION, WHILE OFFERING NO OBJECTION TO THE EXPORT,
TOOK NOTE OF THESE CONSIDERATIONS.

4. CASE RESCHEDULED FOR MAY 20. WE EXPECT CANADIAN
RESERVE WILL BE LIFTED SHORTLY SINCE OTTOWA IS BEHIND
ON INSTRUCTIONS FOR LAST WEEK'S AND THIS WEEK'S CASES
ON MEETING AGENDAS. NATURALLY, WE WILL REPORT GERMAN
QUESTIONS AS SOON AS RECEIVED.
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